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SUBJ: BAMAKO FLOOD

REF.: BAMAKO 3272

DESPITE FACT THAT 84 MM RAIN FALL IN LESS THAN FOUR HOURS IN BAMAKO, ACTUAL DAMAGE MUCH LESS SEVERE THAN AUGUST 1974. TWO MITIGATING FACTORS CAN BE CITED:
(1) RAIN FELL DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS ALLOWING AFFECTED INDIVIDUALS TO TAKE THE PRECAUTIONS TO REMOVE PERSONAL BELONGINGS BEFORE HOUSE WALLS COLLAPSED AND (2) RAINFALL CENTERED ON CITY RATHER THAN HILLS AROUND WHICH PRECLUDED LIKELIHOOD OF FLASH FLOODING IN STREAMS TRANSITING CITY FROM HILLS TO NIGER.

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